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notice of violation

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NO. N.02-49-2-1

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To the following Permittee or Operator:

Name West Ridge Resources, Inc.
 Mine West Ridge ☐ Surface ☒ Underground ☐ Other
 County Carbon State Utah Telephone (435) 564-4000
 Mailing Address P.O. Box 1077, Price, Utah 84501
 State Permit No. C/007/041
 Ownership Category ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Fee ☒ Mixed
 Date of inspection 11/15/2002 & 11/18/2002
 Time of inspection 9:30 ☒ a.m. ☐ p.m. to 11:00 ☒ a.m. ☐ p.m.
 Operator Name (other than Permittee) _____
 Mailing Address _____

Under authority of the Utah Coal Mining and Reclamation Act, Section 40-10-1 et seq., Utah Code Annotated, 1953, the undersigned authorized representative of the Division of Oil, Gas & Mining has conducted an inspection of above mine on above date and has found violation(s) of the act, regulations or required permit condition(s) listed in attachment(s). This notice constitutes a separate Notice of Violation for each violation listed.

You must abate each of these violations within the designated abatement time. You are responsible for doing all work in a safe and workmanlike manner.

The undersigned representative finds that cessation of mining is ☐ is not ☐ expressly or in practical effect required by this notice. For this purpose, "mining" means extracting coal from the earth or a waste pile, and transporting it within or from the mine site.

This notice shall remain in effect until it expires as provided on reverse side of this form, or is modified, terminated or vacated by written notice of an authorized representative of the director of the Division of Oil, Gas & Mining. Time for abatement may be extended by authorized representative for good cause, if a request is made within a reasonable time before the end of abatement period.

Date of service/mailling 11/18/2002Time of service/mailling ☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.

Gary Gray
 Permittee/Operator representative

Engineer/Resident Agent
 Title

Signature

Karl R. Houskeeper
 Division of Oil, Gas & Mining representative

Environmental Scientist III
 Title

Karl R. Houskeeper
 Signature

#49
 Identification Number

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Oil, Gas & MiningPage 2 of 2NOTICE OF VIOLATION NO. N.02-49-2-1

Violation No. _____ of _____

Nature of violation

Diverting mine water through disturbed culverts & diversions and storing mine water in the sediment Pond. Culverts, diversions and sediment pond are not designed for conveyance or storage of mine water according to the approved MRP (mining Reclamation plan).

Provisions of act, regulations or permit violated

RC45-301.200RC45-301.210RC45-301.300RC45-300.143UCA 40-10-18 (12) (iii)

Portion of operation to which notice applies

Disturbed culverts, diversions and Sediment Pond
UPDES outfalls 001 (Sediment Pond) and 002 (mine
water discharge).

Remedial action required (including any interim steps)

Route mine water to utilize outfall 002 ~~disturb~~
~~substantially as indicated in the approved~~
MRP and/or submit designs and a plan that allows the
mine water to be handled and treated by other facilities.

Abatement time (including interim steps)

December 18, 2002